3. Crop and Resource Management

4. Basic and Strategic Research

5. Social Sciences and Technology Transfer

6. Post-Graduate Education, Information system with a view to impart advance training in frontier areas for HRD.

(b) Indian Agricultural Research Institute, New Delhi is deeply involved in market oriented research. Consequently, a number of high yielding varieties/hybrids of wheat, rice, maize, sorghum, pearlmillet, rapeseed-mustard, sunflower, soybean, field pea, chickpea, cowpea, pigeonpea, lentil, mungbean cotton, vegetables and flowers have been developed. Besides, I.A.R.I. is also developing new formulations of pesticides, biofertilizers and new prototypes of farm machinery and implements.I.A.R.I. has also developed a few agro-chemicals, which have been patented and licensed.

(c) I.A.R.I. is focusing its research programme beside crop varieties with export quality produce, on newer areas having export potential such as cut flowers (roses and gladiolus), fruits and value added indigenous fruit based products.

Criteria for KVKs

4675. MAULANA OBAIDULLAH KHAN AZMI: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the criteria for sanctioning new Krishi Vigyan Kendras;

(b) the names of districts, State-wise, in which KVKs have been set up, so far; and

(c) the names of districts, State-wise, in KVKs are proposed to be set up?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV): (a) The criteria for sanctioning a new Krishi Vigyan Kendra (KVK) are: (i) priority on backward and tribal districts; (ii) availability of about 50 acres of cultivated land, at the center of the district with basic amenities; and (iii) strong technical backstopping of the organisation.

(b) and (c) The state-wise details of 326 districts in which KVKs have been set up so far including 53 Zonal Agricultural Research Stations strengthened to take up the additional functions of KVK; and 51 districts in which KVKs are proposed to be set up are given in the statement enclosed.

Statement

List of Districts with KVKs and Proposed for new KVKs

Sl. No.	State/Union Territory	Districts with KVKs	Districts with ZARSs Strengthened	Districts Proposed for New KVKs
1.	2	3	4	5
1.	A&N Islands	1. Andaman	—	—
2.	Andhra Pradesh	1. Ananthapur 2. Chittoor 3. E. Godavari 4. Guntur 5. Karimnagar 6. Kurnool 7. Rangareddy 8. Mahaboobnagar 9. Medak 10. Nalgonda 11. Srikakulam 12. Visakhapatnam 13. Warangal 14. Vizianagaram 15. W. Godavari 16. Cuddapah 17. Krishna	1. Nellore 2. Prakasam 3. Adilabad	—
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	1. West Siang	1. Lohit 2. Lower Subansiri 3. West Kamang 4. Tirap	—

1	2	3	4	5
4	Assam	1 Kokrajhar 2. Sonitpur 3. Cachar 4. Golaghat	1 Karbi-Anglong 2. Nagaon 3. Lakhimpur 4. Karimganj 5. Kamrup 6. Tinsukhia	1. Barpeta 2. Dibrugarh 3. Nalbari 4. Sibsagar 5. Bongaigaon 6. North Cachar Hills
5.	Bihar	1. Koshi (Saharsa) 2. Banka 3. Madhubani 4. Begusarai 5. Bhabhua 6. Munger 7 Shekhpura 8. Nalanda 9. Nawada 10. Bhojpur 11. Jamui 12. Vaishali 13. Darbhanga 14. Patna 15. Muzaffarpur 16. Jahanabad	1. Rohtas 2. Bhagalpur	1. Madhepura 2. Saran 3. Gopalganj 4. Rohtas 5. Khagaria
6.	Chhatisgarh	1. Bilaspur 2. Durg 3. Bastar 4. Sarguja		1. Kavardha 2. Jashpur
7.	D. & N. Haveli	—		1. Silvassa
8.	Delhi	1. Delhi (Ujwa)		—
9.	Goa	1. South Goa		—
10.	Gujarat	1. Banaskantha 2. Dang 3. Gandhinagar 4. Kheda 5. Kuchchh 6. Mehsana 7. Panchmahal 8. Valsad 9. Bharuch 10. Vadodara	1. Surat 2. Rajkot 3. Junagarh	—

1	2	3	4	5
11.	Haryana	1. Hissar 2. Jind 3. Kaithal 4. Kurukshetra 5. Faridabad 6. Gurgaon 7. Sonipat 8. Karnal 9. Yamuna Nagar 10. Rewari 11. Panipat 12. Ambala 13. Sirsa 14. Mahendergarh 15. Rohtak		1. Bhiwani 2. Panchkula 3. Jhajjar 4. Fatehabad
12	Himachal Pradesh	1. Sirmaur 2. Kullu 3. Hamirpur 4. Chamba 5. Mandi 6. Una 7. Shimla 8. Kinnaur 9. Kangra	1. Lahaul & Spiti 2. Bilaspur 3. Solan	—
13.	Jammu & Kashmir	1. Pulwama 2. Jammu 3. Leh 4. Kathua	1. Kargil	1. Badgam 2. Srinagar 3. Rajouri 4. Doda
14.	Jharkhand	1. Deoghar 2. Hazaribagh 3. Ranchi 4. W. Singhbhum 5. Dhanbad	1. Dumka	1. Palamau

1	2	3	4	5
15.	Karnataka	1. Bidar 2. Hassan 3. Kodagu 4. Chikmagalur 5. Belgaum 6. Bellary 7. Kolar 8. Mysore 9. Raichur 10. Gadag 11. Haveri	1. Dakshina Kannada 2. Chitradurga 3. Uttar Kannada 4. Bijapur 5. Gulbarga 6. Shimoga 7. Tumkur 8. Mandya	—
16.	Kerala	1. Palakkad 2. Waynad 3. Ernakulam 4. Thiruvananthapuram 5. Kasaragode 6. Kozhikode 7. Idukki 8. Pathanamthitta 9. Kollam	1. Kottayam 2. Alappuzha (Allepey)	—
17.	Lakshadweep	1. Kiltan Island		—
18.	Madhya Pradesh	1. Balaghat 2. Bhopal 3. Chhindwara 4. Guna 5. Gwalior 6. Indore 7. Jhabua 8. East Nimar 9. Rajgarh 10. Ratlam 11. Seoni 12. Shahdol 13. Sidhi 14. Satna 15. Tikamgarh 16. Vidisha 17. Betul 18. Panna 19. Sehore	1. Hosangabad 2. Morena 3. Sagar 4. West Nimar (Khargone)	1. Dhar 2. Narsinghpur 3. Neemuch

1	2	3	4	5
19.	Maharashtra	1. Aurangabad 2. Beed 3. Dhule 4. Jalgaon 5. Jalna 6. Pune 7. Ratnagiri 8. Sangli 9. Satara 10. Thane 11. Wardha 12. Ahmednagar 13. Washim (Akola) 14. Buldhana 15. Kolhapur 16. Nagpur 17. Nanded 18. Parbhani 19. Nashik 20. Solapur 21. Amravati 22. Sindhudurg 23. Akola 24. Hingoli 25. Nandurbar 26. Bhandara	1. Raigarh 2. Chandrapur 3. Yavatmal 4. Osmanabad	—
20.	Manipur	1. Imphal		1. Bishnupur 2. Senapati
21.	Meghalaya	1. West Garo Hills		1. West Khasi Hills 2. East Khasi Hills 3. East Garo Hills 4. Jaintia Hills 5. Ri-Bhoi
22.	Mizoram	1. Kolasib 2. Lunglei		1. Chhimtuipui
23.	Nagaland	1. Kohima		1. Phek 2. Mokokchung

1	2	3	4	5
24.	Orissa	1 Balasore 2 Cuttack 3 Ganjam 4. Kalahandi 5 Keonjhar 6 Koraput 7 Kandhamal (Phulbani) 8. Khurda 9 Sambalpur 10 Angul 11 Kendrapada 12 Dhenkanal	1 Bhadrak 2 Nawarangpur	1. Jharsuguda 2 Deoghar 3 Jajpur
25	Pondicherry	1. Pondicherry 2. Karaikal		—
26.	Punjab	1. Bathinda 2 Ferozepur (2 KVKs) 3. Gurdaspur 4. Hoshiarpur 5 Kapurthala 6. Patiala 7. Faridkot 8 Nawanshehar 9 Sangrur	1. Roopnagar (Ropar)	—
27.	Rajasthan	1 Ajmer 2 Alwar 3 Rajsamand 4 Barmer 5 Bharatpur 6 Bhilwara 7 Bikaner 8 Bundi 9. Chittaurgarh 10. Churu 11. Dholpur 12. Dungarpur 13 Jaipur (2 KVKs) 14. Jaisimer 15. Jalore	1. Ganganagar	—

1	2	3	4	5
		16. Jhalawar		
		17. Jhunjhunu		
		18. Jodhpur		
		19. Kota		
		20. Nagaur		
		21. Pali		
		22. Sawai Madhopur		
		23. Sikar		
		24. Sirohi		
		25. Tonk		
		26. Udaipur		
		27. Baran		
		28. Dausa		
		29. Banswara		
		30. Hnumangarh		
28.	Sikkim	1. East Sikkim	—	1. North Sikkim
				2. South Sikkim
				3. West Sikkim
29.	Tamil Nadu	1. Coimbatore	1. Kanyakumari	1. Thiruvarur
		2. Erode (Periar)	2. Pudukottai	
		3. Dindigul	3. Ramnathapuram	
		4. Trichirappali		
		5. Tiruvannamalai		
		6. Cuddalore		
		7. Nilgiris		
		8. Kancheepuram		
		9. Dharmapuri		
		10. Theni		
		11. Virudhunagar		
		12. Seleme		
		13. Tirunelveli		
		14. Thanjavur		
		15. Toothukudi		
		16. Sivagangai		
		17. Perambalur		
30.	Tripura	1. West Tripura		1. North Tripura
		2. South Tripura		2. Dhalai

1	2	3	4	5
31.	Uttar Pradesh (70)	1. Bahraich 2. Basti 3. Mau 4. Ballia 5. Varanasi 6. Jhansi 7. Mathura 8. Meerut 9. Mirzapur 10. Rai Bareli 11. Rampur 12. Saharanpur 13. Fatehpur 14. Aligarh 15. Allahabad 16. Bijnor 17. Budaun 18. Ghaziabad 19. Breilly 20. Sultanpur 21. Etah 22. Gonda. 23. Chitrakoot 24. Siddharth Nagar 25. Lucknow 26. Muzaffarnagar 27. Sahajahanpur 28. Pilibhit 29. Ghazipur 30. Pratapgarh 31. Unnao	1. Mainpuri 2. Mahoba 3. Kanpur (Rural) 4. Gorakhpur 5. Maharajganj 6. Faizabad 7. Sonbhadra	1. Bulandshahar 2. Baghpat
32.	Uttaranchal	1. Tehri Garhwal 2. Pithoragarh	1. Nainital	—
33.	West Bengal	1. Bankura 2. Darjeeling 3. Jalpaiguri 4. Medinipur 5. Purulia	1. Coochbehar	—

1	2	3	4	5
		6. South—24 Parganas (2 KVKs) 7. Birbhum 8. Bardhaman		
	Total	273 (276 KVKs)	53 KVKs	51 KVKs

Absorption of Agricultural Scientists

4676. SHRI BALWANT SINGH RAMOOWALIA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of agriculture universities functioning in the country; State-wise;

(b) the number of agriculture scientists passing out every year from such universities, university-wise;

(c) whether India does not have enough Government establishments to absorb all of them, annually; and

(d) if so, the remedial measures taken or proposed to be taken by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN .THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV): (a) The number of agriculture universities functioning in the country, State-wise are as under:

State Agricultural Universities	—	34
Central Agricultural University	—	1
Deemed to be Universities	—	5

Assam(1), Andhra (1), Bihar(1), Chhattisgarh(1), Delhi(1a), Gujarat(1), Himachal(2), Haryana(1+1a), Jammu & Kashmir(2), Karnataka(2), Kerala(1), Madhya Pradesh(1), Maharashtra(5+1a), Orissa(1), Punjab(1), Jharkhand(1), Rajasthan(2), Tamil Nadu(2), Uttar Pradesh(4+2a), West Bengal(3), Manipur(1) and Uttranchal(1)

a=Deemed to be University